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Sir,

Responsive to the final Office Action dated October 21, 2008, please enter the following Amendment. A request for a two-month extension of time in which to respond and a request for continued examination are submitted herewith.

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